

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & ECONOMIC GROWTH  
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION CODES AND FIRE SAFETY  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Construction Code – Part 4. Building Code (ORR# 2004-032 LG)  
Rehabilitation Code (Single State Construction Code) (ORR# 2004-033 LG)  
(Requirement to install smoke alarms in existing dwellings and buildings)

The Department of Labor & Economic Growth, Bureau of Construction Codes and Fire Safety, will hold a public hearing on June 2, 2005, at 1:30 p.m., 2501 Woodlake Circle, Okemos, MI, 48864, in conference room 3, 1<sup>st</sup> floor. The proposed effective date of the rule set is January 1, 2006.

The public hearing is to receive public comments on the proposed amendments to the administrative rules. The rules are proposed as a result of 2004 PA 64 and 2004 PA 65 requiring the installation of smoke alarms in dwelling units, and in buildings or structures constructed before November 6, 1974. The hearing is being conducted by the authority conferred on the director of the Department of Labor & Economic Growth by section 4 of 1972 PA 230, MCL 125.1504, and Executive Reorganization Order Nos. 1996-2 and 2003-18, MCL 445.2001 and 445.2011.

The proposed rules are published in the *Michigan Register*. A copy of the proposed Michigan amendments to the Construction Code – Part 4. Building Code and Rehabilitation Code (Single State Construction Code Rules) may be obtained for a fee of \$2.50 (includes both sets) by submitting a check or money order, made payable to the State of Michigan, to the Bureau at the address below. You may download a free copy of the proposed amendments by visiting our website at [www.michigan.gov/bccfs](http://www.michigan.gov/bccfs). The amendments are located under the “What's New” section.

Oral or written comments may be presented in person at the hearing on June 2, 2005, or submitted in writing by mail, e-mail, or facsimile no later than 5:00 p.m., June 9, 2005. If your presentation is in written form, please provide a copy to the court reporter at the conclusion of your testimony.

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The meeting site is accessible, including handicapped parking. People with disabilities requiring additional accommodations in order to participate in the meeting should call Shannon Matsumoto at 517-241-6312 (voice) or 517-322-5987 (TTY) at least 14 workdays prior to the hearing.